

62 *Living Holiday Gifts...* [1959]



A choice selection of famous Oregon greens,
bulbs and plants from

Walter Marx Gardens
BORING, OREGON

that will be
remembered
long after
Christmas



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HELLEBORES

Hardy winter blooming Perennials



Lenten Rose

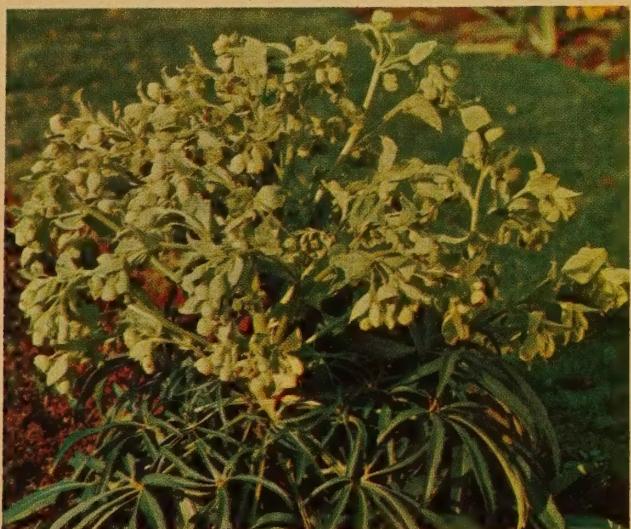
(*Helleborus orientalis*)

The Lenten Rose is a gift of double enjoyment — a happy surprise when received, and the herald of spring when it blooms before other flowers. Huge buttercup like blossoms seem to leap from the earth during Lent — often earlier in mild climates. A lovely gift for a special holiday token. Heavy 2 year plants.

Each 1.00

3/2.75

6/5.00



Christmas Rose

(*Helleborus niger*)

A delightful and unusual gift, the Christmas Rose is the living symbol of Christmastime. Flower lovers rejoice in its winter-blooming beauty — snowy-white blossoms adorn attractive, leathery evergreen foliage. World celebrated for its unusual mid-winter flowering habit, these sturdy Oregon plants are budded and ready to bloom during the Christmas season.

Each 1.95

3/5.75

6/10.00



Green Lenten Rose

(*Helleborus foetidus*)

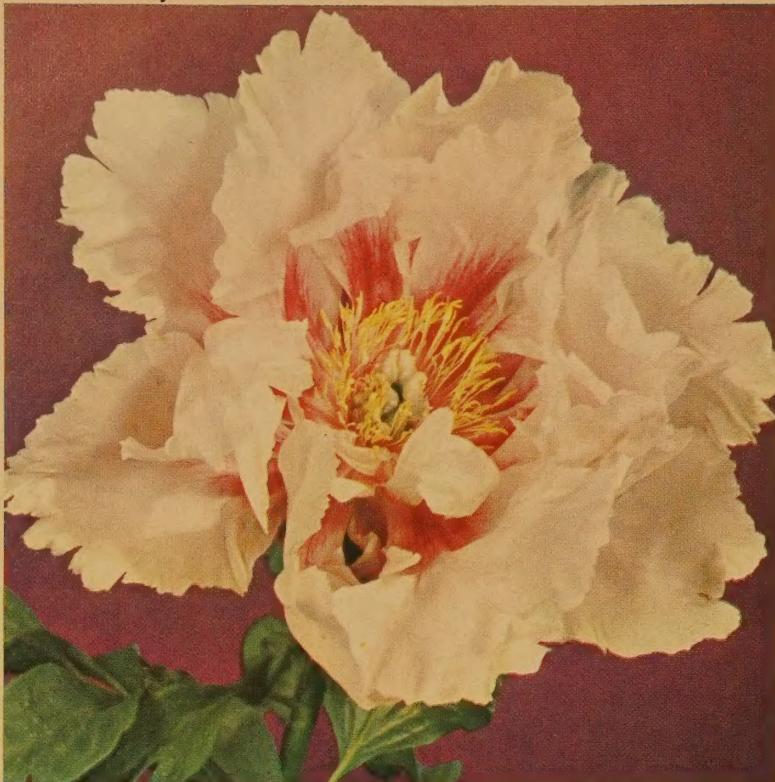
A green gift for Christmas — luxurious and unusual with its handsome foliage and showering cascades of apple-green flowers edged with maroon. Highly recommended for the wild garden, a joy for flower arrangers. Different, fascinating, and so easy to grow. Will bloom shortly after Christmas in mild climates. Heavy 2 year plants.

Each 1.00

3/2.75

6/5.00

EVERY ORDER SELECTED FROM THIS FOLDER WILL BE SHIPPED POSTPAID ANYWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES - Minimum Order \$3.00



Fabulous Tree Peonies

A noble gift of garden splendor, the tree peony was once so rare—and precious that only royalty could enjoy it—now it can be enjoyed for a life-time of glorious bloom. Huge flowers burst from the abundant foliage to reward the proud owner of this magnificent flowering tree. No gift could be more sure to please, nor bring such long-lasting pleasure. ABSOLUTELY HARDY.

HEAVY 4 YEAR OLD PLANTS WITH FLOWER BUDS. All have been grown in our gardens and have bloomed at least once. Because of limited quantity, we can supply in mixed colors only including pink, rose, red and white. These are not seedlings. All are choice named varieties and every plant will be labeled.

Each 4.95

3/12.95

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Sempervivums are fun....



SEMPERVIVUMS ARE FUN—These happy, hardy little fellows grow almost anywhere, inside or in the garden. Children love "Old Hen and Chickens" because they multiply so fast. Grow these succulents on the window sill this winter and move them to the garden next summer. A gift assortment of varied kinds and colors is a conversation piece for an entire family.

ABSOLUTELY HARDY

7 CLUMPS 3.00
All different labeled

12 CLUMPS 5.00
All different labeled

Personalize your Gift

by sending us your gift card to be enclosed with each gift you order . . . or if you prefer we will enclose one for you. Just check your preference on the order blank inside.

Dainty and Sweet Miniature Roses

Enjoy indoors this winter and outdoors next summer

Precious little roses to delight every flower lover. Perfect for shut-ins and apartment dwellers, yet can be grown outdoors, too. Ideal for those whose space is limited, these perfect little plants grow no more than 12" high, with tiny tea rose blooms no bigger than a nickel. Fragrant, dainty and demure for a special friend.



BIT O'SUNSHINE (Illus. Above) Each 2.00

New miniature yellow rose. Semi-double buttercup yellow flowers with delicate fragrance. Best yellow miniature to date.

PINK CAMEO (Pat. 1451) Each 2.00

First truly Everblooming Miniature Rose in Climbing Form. Perfect miniature rose-pink (Tyrian rose) buds. Long lasting cut flowers — wonderful boutonniere, corsage and small bouquet rose. Shrub or small pillar (up to 5 ft.). Will bloom first year. Illustrated at right.

DIAN (Pat. Pending) Each 1.50

One of the very finest miniatures introduced to date. Brilliant pinkish red with glowing undertones. Hardy, vigorous and extra free flowering. Fragrant and long lasting. Excellent border or pot plant.

FROSTY (Pat. No. 1412) Each 1.50

Acclaimed as the world's finest white rose. Often tinted pink, especially during cool weather. A pearl-like flower made up of 40 or more petals. In bloom all summer.

RED IMP (Pat. 1032) Each 1.50

Deep rich crimson of amazing brilliance. Color is uniform and unfading. Fully double flowers with 45 to 60 petals. Plant attains 10 inches in height and develop into compact, well branched bushes. Buds and blooms are of fine Hybrid Tea Rose form set off by dainty lacy foliage.

SPECIAL PRICE FOR ALL 5 VARIETIES

(You Save \$1.55) **6.95**



GIVE PLANTS this Christmas

Living gifts of bulbs and plants from WALTER MARX GARDENS are sure to please your gardening friends. They will be thrilled when they open the packages and see the quality, freshness and vitality of our Oregon-grown plant material. And best of all, your thoughtful gift will last for years, giving increasing happiness each season as the plants come into bloom.

ORDER NOW for Christmas Delivery

If you send your order at once we will mail the gifts you have selected in time to reach any address in the United States in time for Christmas. Please state clearly to whom you wish your gift order mailed:

1. To you at your address or
2. To the address of the person for whom the gift was purchased.

Bright Oregon Evergreens bring

These gay wreaths and centerpieces are hand made here at Walter Marx Gardens. The skilled hands of our talented arrangers create full abundant wreaths from choice holly, fragrant cedar and fir boughs freshly cut. You can order these wreaths and centerpiece gifts with the confident knowledge that each will be the very one you would have personally chosen for a favored friend.



OREGON CEDAR WREATH

For your home, for a friend, for business acquaintances, a wreath of Oregon Cedar can be sent with perfect confidence. New-cut cedar with a big red ribbon and little brown cones — so fragrant, so festive, so right for the Yuletide season. Outside diameter 20 inches.

Each 3.00 3/7.50 6/13.50
For Special Delivery Add 55c



OREGON ENGLISH HOLLY WREATH

Illustrated in full color on front page.

MOST popular of all Holiday wreaths. Choicest English Berried Holly decorated with cones and red ribbon. Every wreath packed in a beautiful gift box. Outside diameter 18 inches.

Each 4.95 3/12.95 6/25.00
For Special Delivery Add 55c



HOLIDAY CENTERPIECE

EVERGREEN SPRAY from Oregon for the holiday hostess to use as centerpiece, mantel decoration or wall ornament. Fashioned of evergreens with cones and ribbons in the true Christmas manner. 3 candles included. Size 15x28 inches.

Each 5.95 3/15.00
For Special Delivery Add 55c

Boxed Choice Oregon-Grown English Holly



With fresh green Oregon Holly . . . you can create attractive holiday decorations.



What finer gift for your friends than holly, the very symbol of cherished Yuletide traditions? Sprays of holly will help create a Christmas atmosphere in any home, from city apartment to spacious country house. A gift of fresh glossy leaved, red-berried holly shipped directly from the world famous holly growers of Oregon will speak warmly of your thoughtfulness. Your friends can use it in many ways, in sprays, swatches, wreaths and table decorations. Don't forget to order some for yourself, too.

GIFT PACK
Two pound gift box of green-leaved berried holly packed in attractive decorated box.

3.00 per box
For Special Delivery Add 45c

10 POUND CARTON
10 pounds of No. 1 green leaved berried holly sprays. Just the thing for the large home, church, school or office.

11.95 10 pound carton
For Special Delivery Add 55c

Holiday Greetings!



OREGON (DOUGLAS) FIR WREATH

This wreath of Oregon Fir boughs, fresh and green, fills the air with the breath of balsam, and looks so pretty with red ribbon peeking out through the green fir needles. A traditional decoration for winter holidays. Outside diameter 18 inches.

Each 4.95

3/12.95 6/25.00
For Special Delivery Add 55c

Walter Marx Gardens

BORING, OREGON

Use this handy Order Blank

Amount enclosed _____

Be sure that you have checked the gifts you desire before mailing this order blank.

Ordered by _____

Address _____

City _____

Zone _____ State _____

ORDER BY NUMBER

OREGON CEDAR WREATH

(1) Each 3.00 (2) 3 for 7.50 (3) 6 for 13.50

OREGON FIR WREATH

(4) Each 4.95 (5) 3 for 12.95 (6) 6 for 25.00

OREGON ENGLISH HOLLY WREATH

(7) Each 4.95 (8) 3 for 12.95 (9) 6 for 25.00

HOLIDAY CENTERPIECE

(10) Each 5.95 (11) 3 for 15.00

BOXED HOLLY

(12) Two pound Gift Pack, each 3.00

(13) Ten pound Carton, each 11.95

HELLOBORES

(14) Each 1.00 (15) 3 for 2.75 (16) 6 for 5.00

LENTEN ROSE

(17) Each 1.95 (18) 3 for 5.75 (19) 6 for 10.00

CHRISTMAS ROSE

(20) Each 1.00 (21) 3 for 2.75 (22) 6 for 5.00

GREEN LENTEN ROSE

(23) Each 4.95 (24) 3 for 12.95

TREE PEONIES

(25) 7 clumps 3.00 (26) 12 clumps 5.00

MINIATURE ROSES

(27) Bit O' Sunshine 2.00 ea. (28) Pink Cameo 2.00 ea. (29) Dian 1.50 ea. (30) Frosty 1.50 ea. (31) Red Imp. 1.50 ea.

(32) One each of all 5 varieties 6.95

OREGON GROWN JAN DE GRAAFF LILIES

5 Choice Bulbs in a Gift Package

(33) 1 Gift Package 3.95 (34) 3 Gift Packages 10.95

Don't Forget
SPECIAL DELIVERY
CHARGE IF DESIRED

If gifts are to go to more than one person check the gift number to be sent.

Send Gifts Number (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25)

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To: Name _____

Address _____

Zone _____ State _____

My Gift Card is enclosed. Include a Gift Card for me.

Send Gifts Number (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25)

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To: Name _____

Address _____

Zone _____ State _____

My Gift Card is enclosed. Include a Gift Card for me.

Christmas GIFT CERTIFICATE SERVICE

You may prefer to let your friends select their own plants and bulbs. For the convenience of our customers we have initiated a Gift Certificate Service. Here is how it works: Send us your remittance for the amount you wish to give. We will make out a Gift Certificate in that amount and mail it to your friend. At the same time we will send a copy of this folder from which he may make his selection. Your name as donor will appear on the certificate.

You will receive a duplicate copy which will serve as your receipt.

If you prefer we will send the Gift Certificate directly to you and you may present it directly to the person for whom it is intended.

Please be sure to give us the following information:

The name and address of each person to whom you wish to send a Gift Certificate.

Your name and address.

The amount of each certificate.

You may send us a gift card addressed to your friend. We will enclose the Gift Certificate and mail it at once.



Famous Oregon Grown
Jan De Graaff
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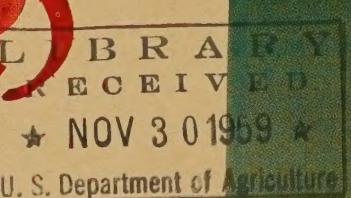
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GOLDEN
CLARION



ENCHANTMENT



EXTRA HARDY — easily grown anywhere in the
U.S.A. A wonderful gift to a favored friend.

Gift Package of 5 Choice

2 GOLDEN CLARION
2 OLYMPIC HYBRIDS
1 ENCHANTMENT

Lily Bulbs

3.95

(Actual Catalog value 5.35)

3 GIFT PACKAGES 10.95

(Actual Catalog value 16.05)



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